

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

A Big Suit.

A suit for the recovery of a quarter section of land, most of which is within the corporate limits of Wichita, was commenced in the United States circuit court in that city the other day by Antoinette Sanders, a resident of Springfield, Ill. The petition sets forth that in 1873 Lindsey Lee, of Fulton, N. Y., deeded the land in question, then a farm, to George A. Sanders, as trustee for the three minor children of George and Antoinette Sanders and grandchildren of the grantor. All the children died in youth. In 1882, after their death, George Sanders deeded the property to Thomas Dwyer. Since then it has been divided and subdivided into town lots and is now known as College Hill, one of the most fashionable residential quarters of the city, representing a value to the present owners of probably \$500,000. Mrs. Sanders alleges that her husband had no power to deed away the property and uses for an undivided half interest to it, which she claims as the heir of the deceased children. Upwards of one hundred persons are named as defendants to the suit.

World's Fair Organizations.

Martin Muller, secretary of the state board of agriculture, has recently made an extended trip through the western part of the state. He and W. A. Smith, secretary of the board of managers of the world's fair association, organized county fair associations and Columbian exposition associations in several counties. The work of raising funds for the Kansas exhibit is progressing finely and enough will have been paid into the treasury to warrant the letting of the contract for the Kansas building as soon as the specifications are approved and a building permit issued by the board of directors in Chicago. The legislature will be asked to make an appropriation to repay all money subscribed and there is little reason to doubt but that this will be done.

Christian Endeavor.

The Kansas Christian Endeavor union will hold their fifth annual convention at Kansas City, Kan., May 4-6. Every Christian Endeavorer in Kansas is requested to attend. The people of Kansas City, Kan., will give free entertainment to 1,000 delegates. Those expecting to attend and desiring entertainment should send their names as soon as possible to the chairman of the entertainment committee, C. L. Brockway, Wyandotte National bank, Kansas City, Kan. Every society in the state should send their annual report to George P. Stitt, state corresponding secretary, Hutchinson, Kan.

Declined the Request.

The executive council has declined to grant the request of Commander Greene, setting aside a department in the capitol building for a memorial hall for the G. A. R., because the council has no authority to grant such a request, and also because there is no room in the capitol that can be so used. The executive council, however, by resolution asks the next legislature to provide by law for the setting apart of a suitable room or rooms in the capitol building, when completed, to be occupied as department headquarters of the G. A. R. of Kansas.

Post Office Buildings.

If the post office building bill, which has passed the senate, meets with success in the house, Kansas will get fifty-nine post office buildings, ranging in cost from \$9,000 to \$75,000. According to the bill the postmaster-general is to have erected in every city where the gross receipts of the post office are not less than \$30,000 a year not more than \$30,000 a building which will not exceed in cost more than three times the annual receipts of the office. Fifty-nine Kansas cities come within the provisions of the bill.

Result of a Quarrel.

Martin Gollar and Charles Christ quarreled in a Leavenworth saloon the other day, when Christ struck Gollar across the forehead with a spade. The handle of the spade was broken and a great hole made in Gollar's skull. The blood flowed profusely, but Gollar was not even stunned, and tying a handkerchief about his head, went to the police station to lodge a complaint against Christ. He walked home and a physician soon afterwards found him unconscious. His recovery was doubtful.

Enforcing Its Order.

The board of railroad commissioners recently requested Gov. Humphrey to institute mandamus proceedings against the Union Pacific railroad to enforce its order of May 26, 1891, calling for additional train service on the Lincoln branch of that road. Shortly after this order had been made the Union Pacific increased its service, but subsequently removed the train.

Minor State News.

John McDowell a colored man thirty-six years old was killed by the cars at Topeka the other day.

Postmasters lately appointed in Kansas: J. Metz, at Hilltop, Greenwood county; W. E. Masters, at Morehead, Neosho county; William Shellenberger, at Radical, Montgomery county; W. Sloan, at Udall, Cowley county.

George Easton was recently arrested at Winfield upon the charge of attempting to kill Miss Metta Rogers. He had been paying attention to the young woman, but got on a spree and she refused his company. Knifeing her on the street he drew a knife and made the assault for which he was arrested.

When the Missouri Pacific pay car stopped at Hutchinson the other day to pay some section men a Baker heater used in the car exploded with great force, blowing out one end of the car. Roadmaster Richardson was badly hurt, and a section hand suffered serious injuries.

Henry E. Walker, claiming to be the agent of an eastern firm, was recently arrested at Emporia for alleged crooked financial transactions. His crookedness consisted in drawing checks on different banks where he had no funds and getting them cashed.

John Overman, a well known farmer living near Parsons, has disappeared.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

Gov. Francis has signed the Missouri congressional redistricting bill.

There is talk of trying Gen. A. W. Greely by court-martial for insubordination.

Reports from Guthrie, Ok., state that there is nothing in the reported Messiah craze.

The German steamer *Elder*, wrecked off Atherfield, Isle of Wight, January 31, has been floated.

A national convention of state railroad commissioners will be held in Washington April 10.

The committee on foreign affairs has reported in favor of a reduction in the number of foreign legations.

Venezuela is in a state of civil war. Dictator Palacios imprisoned the members of the supreme court.

Premier Loubet says France will not tolerate politics from the pulpit, and would close offending churches.

MARKET REPORTS.

Kansas City Live Stock.
KANSAS CITY, March 28.
CATTLE—Receipts, 2,772; calves, 22; shipped yesterday, 1,872; calves, 50. Steers were dull and barely steady to lower; cows and feeders steady. The following are representative sales:

SHIPPED CATTLE AND SHIPPING STEERS.	
100	1.32 1/2
200	1.37 1/2
300	1.42 1/2
400	1.47 1/2
500	1.52 1/2
600	1.57 1/2
700	1.62 1/2
800	1.67 1/2
900	1.72 1/2
1,000	1.77 1/2

COWS AND HEIFERS.

100	1.00 1/2
200	1.05 1/2
300	1.10 1/2
400	1.15 1/2
500	1.20 1/2
600	1.25 1/2
700	1.30 1/2
800	1.35 1/2
900	1.40 1/2
1,000	1.45 1/2

STOCKED AND FEEDERS.

100	1.12 1/2
200	1.17 1/2
300	1.22 1/2
400	1.27 1/2
500	1.32 1/2
600	1.37 1/2
700	1.42 1/2
800	1.47 1/2
900	1.52 1/2
1,000	1.57 1/2

WHEAT.

2 1/2 c.	82 1/2
3 1/2 c.	83 1/2
4 1/2 c.	84 1/2
5 1/2 c.	85 1/2
6 1/2 c.	86 1/2
7 1/2 c.	87 1/2
8 1/2 c.	88 1/2
9 1/2 c.	89 1/2
10 1/2 c.	90 1/2

CHICAGO Live Stock.
CHICAGO, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; official yesterday, 25,000; shipments yesterday, 14,000. Receipts for the week, 127,238; shipments for the week, 127,238. Receipts for the corresponding week last year, 79,000. Packing from March 1 to date, 250,000; packing to date last year, 250,000. But over about 2,000, quality fair; market active with pigs and light lots 10c higher; other grades unchanged. Sales ranged at \$4.50-\$4.80 for light; \$4.15-\$4.30 for rough packing; \$4.40-\$4.60 for mixed; \$4.60-\$4.80 for heavy packing and shipping lots. Pigs \$4.00-\$4.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; receipts yesterday, 1,500; shipments yesterday, 1,500. Market steady.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; receipts yesterday, 1,000; shipments yesterday, 1,000. Market steady.

St. Louis Live Stock.
ST. LOUIS, March 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 700. Market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady. Fair to choice heavy, \$4.60-\$4.80; mixed, ordinary to good, \$4.10-\$4.30; Yorkers, fair to best, \$4.70-\$4.80. Sheep—Receipts, 200. Market strong.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

March 28.	Opened.	High.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Barley	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
May	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
July	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Sept.	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Nov.	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
Jan.	86 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
Mar.	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
May	88 1/2	89 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2
July	89 1/2	90 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Sept.	90 1/2	91 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2
Nov.	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2
Jan.	92 1/2	93 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2
Mar.	93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
May	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
July	95 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
Sept.	96 1/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2
Nov.	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
Jan.	98 1/2	99 1/2	98 1/2	99 1/2
Mar.	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
May	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
July	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
Sept.	102 1/2	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
Nov.	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2
Jan.	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Mar.	105 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	106 1/2
May	106 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/2	107 1/2
July	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
Sept.	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	109 1/2
Nov.	109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Jan.	110 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	111 1/2
Mar.	111 1/2	112 1/2	111 1/2	112 1/2
May	112 1/2	113 1/2	112 1/2	113 1/2
July	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2
Sept.	114 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	115 1/2
Nov.	115 1/2	116 1/2	115 1/2	116 1/2
Jan.	116 1/2	117 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2
Mar.	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
May	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
July	119 1/2	120 1/2	119 1/2	120 1/2
Sept.	120 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
Nov.	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2
Jan.	122 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2
Mar.	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
May	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
July	125 1/2	126 1/2	125 1/2	126 1/2
Sept.	126 1/2	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
Nov.	127 1/2	128 1/2	127 1/2	128 1/2
Jan.	128 1/2	129 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2
Mar.	129 1/2	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2
May	130 1/2	131 1/2	130 1/2	131 1/2
July	131 1/2	132 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2
Sept.	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Nov.	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2
Jan.	134 1/2	135 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
Mar.	135 1/2	136 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2
May	136 1/2	137 1/2	136 1/2	137 1/2
July	137 1/2	138 1/2	137 1/2	138 1/2
Sept.	138 1/2	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2
Nov.	139 1/2	140 1/2	139 1/2	140 1/2
Jan.	140 1/2	141 1/2	140 1/2	141 1/2
Mar.	141 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	142 1/2
May	142 1/2	143 1/2	142 1/2	143 1/2
July	143 1/2	144 1/2	143 1/2	144 1/2
Sept.	144 1/2	145 1/2	144 1/2	145 1/2
Nov.	145 1/2	146 1/2	145 1/2	146 1/2
Jan.	146 1/2	147 1/2	146 1/2	147 1/2
Mar.	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/2	148 1/2
May	148 1/2	149 1/2	148 1/2	149 1/2
July	149 1/2	150 1/2	149 1/2	150 1/2
Sept.	150 1/2	151 1/2	150 1/2	151 1/2
Nov.	151 1/2	152 1/2	151 1/2	152 1/2
Jan.	152 1/2	153 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2
Mar.	153 1/2	154 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2
May	154 1/2	155 1/2	154 1/2	155 1/2
July	155 1/2	156 1/2	155 1/2	156 1/2
Sept.	156 1/2	157 1/2	156 1/2	157 1/2
Nov.	157 1/2	158 1/2	157 1/2	158 1/2
Jan.	158 1/2	159 1/2	158 1/2	159 1/2
Mar.	159 1/2	160 1/2	159 1/2	160 1/2
May	160 1/2	161 1/2	160 1/2	161 1/2
July	161 1/2	162 1/2	161 1/2	162 1/2
Sept.	162 1/2	163 1/2	162 1/2	163 1/2
Nov.	163 1/2	164 1/2	163 1/2	164 1/2
Jan.	164 1/2	165 1/2	164 1/2	165 1/2
Mar.	165 1/2	166 1/2	165 1/2	166 1/2
May	166 1/2	167 1/2	166 1/2	167 1/2
July	167 1/2	168 1/2	167 1/2	168 1/2
Sept.	168 1/2	169 1/2	168 1/2	169 1/2
Nov.	169 1/2	170 1/2	169 1/2	170 1/2
Jan.	170 1/2	171 1/2	170 1/2	171 1/2
Mar.	171 1/2	172 1/2	171 1/2	172 1/2
May	172 1/2	173 1/2	172 1/2	173 1/2
July	173 1/2	174 1/2	173 1/2	174 1/2
Sept.	174 1/2	175 1/2	174 1/2	175 1/2
Nov.	175 1/2	176 1/2	175 1/2	176 1/2
Jan.	176 1/2	177 1/2	176 1/2	177 1/2
Mar.	177 1/2	178 1/2	177 1/2	178 1/2
May	178 1/2	179 1/2	178 1/2	179 1/2
July	179 1/2	180 1/2	179 1/2	180 1/2
Sept.	180 1/2	181 1/2	180 1/2	181 1/2
Nov.	181 1/2	182 1/2	181 1/2	182 1/2
Jan.	182 1/2	183 1/2	182 1/2	183 1/2
Mar.	183 1/2	184 1/2	183 1/2	184 1/2
May	184 1/2	185 1/2	184 1/2	185 1/2
July	185 1/2	186 1/2	185 1/2	186 1/2
Sept.	186 1/2	187 1/2	186 1/2	187 1/2
Nov.	187 1/2	188 1/2	187 1/2	188 1/2
Jan.	188 1/2	189 1/2	188 1/2	189 1/2
Mar.	189 1/2	190 1/2	189 1/2	190 1/2
May	190 1/2	191 1/2	190 1/2	191 1/2
July	191 1/2	192 1/2	191 1/2	192 1/2
Sept.	192 1/2	193 1/2	192 1/2	193 1/2
Nov.	193 1/2	194 1/2	193 1/2	194 1/2
Jan.	194 1/2	195 1/2	194 1/2	195 1/2
Mar.	195 1/2	196 1/2	195 1/2	196 1/2
May	196 1/2	197 1/2	196 1/2	197 1/2
July	197 1/2	198 1/2	197 1/2	198 1/2
Sept.	198 1/2	199 1/2	198 1/2	199 1/2
Nov.	199 1/2	200 1/2	199 1/2	200 1/2
Jan.	200 1/2	201 1/2	200 1/2	201 1/2
Mar.	201 1/2	202 1/2	201 1/2	202 1/2
May	202 1/2	203 1/2	202 1/2	203 1/2
July	203 1/2	204 1/2	203 1/2	204 1/2
Sept.	204 1/2	205 1/2	204 1/2	205 1/2
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